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\*MEDIA ALERT\*

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WHAT: The Delaware Office of Highway Safety (OHS) is suspending its SoberLift program as of 9 p.m. on Sunday, March 15, through Wednesday, March 18 at 2 a.m., statewide, due to growing concern for the health and safety of Delawareans and their families brought on by the coronavirus (COVID-19).

Ultimately this decision works to protect everyone's health, prevent the spread of the virus and support our nation's health system from becoming overwhelmed during this unprecedented situation.

OHS also wants to take this opportunity to encourage Delawareans to be vigilant with their health and that of their loved ones, elderly and vulnerable neighbors during this situation. Individuals can stay informed through the State of Delaware's dedicated coronavirus website, <a href="https://www.de.documents.com/www.de.do

If you have questions about the coronavirus in Delaware, please contact the Division of Public Health Call Center at

1-866-408-1899 or email at <u>DPHcall@delaware.gov</u>. Hours of operation M-F 8:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Sat-Sun 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The call center is open to take questions from the public, schools, medical providers, and community organizations. People with hearing impairments can dial 7-1-1.

WHERE: State of Delaware

WHEN: Immediately

WHO: The Delaware Office of Highway Safety

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**MORE:** The program was set to run through Wednesday, March 18 at 2 a.m., providing free  $Lyft^{*}$  vouchers\* (maximum value of \$15) for individuals who want a sober ride. For more information, please visit ohs.delaware.gov.

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The Office of Highway Safety (OHS) is committed to improving the safety of Delaware's motoring public by focusing on behavioral traffic safety issues such as impaired driving, seat belt use, speeding, child passenger safety, pedestrian and bicycle safety, motorcycle safety, and teen driving issues. FAQs can be found at <a href="https://example.com">ArriveAliveDE.com</a>.

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